

had a sister who has been dead these many years and whose name was Clara White and whose husband's name was Hager White, he is also dead, they left a son whose name was Walter White and he is dead. He died a few days ago and his wife's name was Carrie White and she with Annie Bucheimer whose husband's name is Clarence Bucheimer and Lillie Burrier whose husband's name is Robert Burrier are the children of Clara White who is another sister of Mrs. Loots, who is dead these many years. Then there was a half sister, Caroline Mainhart who is dead and she left surviving her two sons whose names are William Mainhart and David Mainhart now these are all the heirs of Florence Jeanette Loots as I understand it. Mr. G. W. Charles Loots who was the husband of Mrs. Florence Jeanette Loots survived his wife a number of years and who died, as I have stated, before, about one year ago intestate. Now he left surviving him a brother named John Loots whose wife's name is Susan Loots and a sister Ellen Loots who is unmarried and now aged seventy years old. Mr. G. W. Charles Loots had six brothers and sisters: John Loots¹, Unionville, Frederick County, Maryland, William Loots², Susan Shivers³, widow of George W. Shivers, Ellen Loots⁴ and Amanda Hyder⁵ wife of Jessie Hyder, Mrs. Hyder is also dead but left nine children as follows: William Hyder, Mollie Hyder, John Hyder, Jennie Hyder whose husband's name is T. Lee Noel, Reuben Hyder, Lottie Hyder, Grace Hyder and Charles Hyder, the last four were infants in 1899. William Loots, Jessie Hyder and William Hyder lived at that time in Pennsylvania. John Hyder lived in Baltimore City and the rest of the Hydres in Carroll County.

Q: Is this property mentioned in Exhibit No. 1 capable of being divided without loss and injury and would it be to the benefit and advantage to all the parties that the same be sold and the proceeds be divided?

A: I don't see how it could be properly divided without loss and injury and the only way you could do would be to sell it